

In re application of: Brian K. HAMILTON  
 Serial No.: 10/655,200  
 Filed: 04 September 2003  
 For: LOW DENSITY SLURRY BRIDGE MIX



Mail Stop Amendment  
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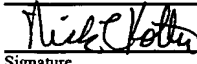
Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

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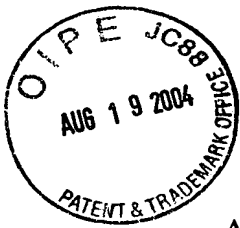
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Examiner: Felton, Aileen B.

**AMENDMENT A**

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated as mailed on 14 May 2004,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on  
page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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